an increase in excise duty which works out to about Rs. 3 per kilogram. It is further reported that the primary producers have not increased ex-factory price of semi-fabricated items such as rolled sheets, extrusions etc., after decontrol of aluminium. The market is in the process of stabilization.

Import of Highly Toxic Pesticides

2754. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:
SHRI LAL K. ADVANI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some highly toxic pesticides have been permitted to be imported; if so, their names; who are their manufacturers and their local agents;

(b) whether on an earlier occasion, the Registration Committee for pesticides had rejected the case of methomyl and thiazophos being manufactured in India by multinationals on the grounds that they were not effective enough to fight heliothi, and whitefly apart from being highly toxic and Rallis were allowed to manufacture fenpropathrin provisionally for data generation and not for use;

(c) whether any additional scientific data was supplied to the Committee to change its earlier decesion; and

(d) whether the imports will be canalised through the public sector concern like The Hindustan Insecticides Ltd; if not, why a public sector concern is being denied the imports in the face of multinationals and their Indian agents: names and addresses of such beneficiaries?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) pesticides are permitted to be imported after verifying their efficacy and safety in use. Some highly toxic pesticides are also registered for import in view of the country's requirements and the Registration Committee permits their use in reasonably safer formulations and with appropriate handling precautions. During 1989 only one pesticide, namely, Triazophos, belonging to highly toxic group of insecticides, has been registered for import. The manufacturer of this product is M/s. Hoechst, West Germany and their local agents are M/s. Hoechst India Ltd., Bombay and M/s. Evid & Company Chemicals Limited, Gujarat.

(b) No, Sir. The applications for registration of Methomyl and Triazophos for import were not rejected on grounds of their bio-efficacy. M/s. Rallis India were allowed to import Fenpropathrin Technical and to formulate the same indigenously for data generation and for commercialisation.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) Import of insecticides by Public Sector Companies can be permitted if they hold registration certificate under the Insecticides Act for the concerned pesticides.

Scheme for employees participation in management

2755. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Scheme for Employees Participation in Management was notified on December 30, 1983;

(b) if so, number of the Central Public sector undertakings and also of the departmentally run undertakings;

(c) out of the above, which ones have implemented the scheme at the shop, plant and board levels; and

(d) whether any requests for exemption from the scheme have been granted; if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI RADHAKRISHAN MALAVIYA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Departmentally run undertakings are excluded from the purview of

the Scheme. There are 220 Central Public Sector enterprises.

(c) A list of enterprises, which have implemented the Scheme at either shop and/or plant levels, is given in the statement (*See* below). No Public Sector enterprise has implemented the Scheme at the Board of Directors level.

(d) Requests for exemption from implementation of the Scheme at shop/plant levels were received from several enterprises. Only the Indian Dairy Corporation was granted exemption by the Administrative Ministry, namely Ministry of Agriculture because of the different nature and limited staff of the Corporation.

Statement

Names of enterprises which have implemented govts. scheme of workers' participation in Management at either shop or/and at plant level

1. Andaman and Nicobar Islands Forest and Plantation Development Corporation Ltd.
2. Andrew Yule and Co. Ltd.
3. Artificial Limbs Mfg. Corporation.
4. Bharat Aluminium Co. Ltd.
5. Bharat Coking Cool Ltd.
6. Bharat Dynamics Ltd.
7. Bharat Earth Movers Ltd.
8. Bharat Electronics Ltd.
9. Bharat Gold Mines Ltd.
10. Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.
11. Bharat Heavy Plates and Vessels Ltd.
12. Bharat Process and Mechanical Engineers Ltd.
13. Bharat Pumps and Compressors Ltd.
14. Bharat Refractories Ltd.
15. Bieco Lawrie Ltd.
16. Vieco Lawrie Ltd.
17. Cement Corporation of India Ltd.
18. Central Electronics Corporation Ltd.
19. Central Coalfields Ltd.
20. Central Inland Water Transport Corporation Ltd.
21. Central Warehousing Corporation.
22. South Eastern Coalfields Ltd.
23. Cochin Shipyard Ltd.
24. Cotton Corporation of India Ltd.
25. Delhi Transport Corporation Ltd.
26. Dredging Corporation of India Ltd.
27. Eastern Coal Fields Ltd.
28. Electronics Corporation of India.
29. Electronics Trade and Tech. Development Corporation Ltd.
30. Fertilizers Corporation of India Ltd.
31. Fertilizers and Chemicals Travancore Ltd.
32. Food Corporation of India Ltd.
33. Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers Ltd.
34. Goa Shipyard Ltd.
35. Heavy Engineering Corporation Ltd.
36. Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd.
37. Hindustan Antibiotics Ltd.
38. Hindustan Cables Ltd.
39. Hindustan Copper Ltd.
40. Hindustan Fertiliser Corporation Ltd.
41. Hindustan Insecticides Ltd.
42. Hindustan Newsprint Ltd.
43. Hindustan Organic Ltd.
44. Hindustan Paper Corporation Ltd
45. Hindustan Prefab. Ltd.
46. Hindustan Photo Film Mfg Co. Ltd.

47. Hindustan Salts Ltd.
48. Hindustan Shipyard Ltd.
49. Hindustan Vegetable Oil Ltd.
50. Hindustan Teleprinters Ltd.
51. H.M.T. Bearings Ltd.
52. H.M.T. Ltd.
53. Hotel Corporation of India Ltd.
54. Indian Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Ltd.
55. India Firebricks and Co. Ltd.
56. Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.
57. Indian Iron and Steel Co. Ltd.
58. Indian Petrochemicals Corporation Ltd.
59. Indian Rare Earths Ltd.
60. Indian Telephone Industries Ltd.
61. Instrumentation Limited.
62. International Airports Authority of India Ltd.
63. IISCO Ujjain Pipe and Foundary Co. Ltd.
64. Kudremukh Iron Ore Co. Ltd.
65. Lubrizol India Ltd.
66. Madras Refineries Ltd.
67. Maharashtra Antibiotics and Pharmaceuticals Ltd.
68. Manganeses Ore (India) Ltd.
69. Mandya National Paper Mills Ltd.
70. Mineral Exploration Corporation Ltd.
71. Mica Trading Corporation Ltd.
72. Mining and Allied Machinery Corporation Ltd.
73. Mishra Dhatu Nigam Ltd.
74. Hooghly Dock and Port Engineers Ltd.
75. National Bicycle Corporation Ltd.
76. National Fertilizers Ltd.
77. National Film Development Corporation Ltd.
78. National Instruments Ltd.
79. National Mineral Development Corporation Ltd.
80. National Newsprint and Paper Mills Ltd.
81. National Thermal Power Corporation Ltd.
82. Neyveli Lignite Corporation Ltd.
83. Northern Coal Fields Ltd.
84. North Eastern Electric Power Corporation Ltd.
85. Oil India Limited.
86. Praga Tools Limited.
87. Pyrites Phosphates and Chemicals Ltd.
88. Project and Development India Ltd.
89. Rajasthan Electronics and Instruments Ltd.
90. Rashtriya Chemicals and Fertilisers Ltd.
91. Sambhar Salts Limited.
92. Sponge Iron India Ltd.
93. Southern Pesticides Corporation Ltd.
94. State Farms Corporation.
95. Steel Authority of India Ltd.
96. Triveni Structural Limited.
97. Tunagbhadra Steel Products Ltd.
98. Uranium Corporation of India Ltd.
99. Western Coalfields Ltd.
100. Paradeep Phasphates Ltd.
101. Karnataka Antibiotics and Pharmaceuticals Ltd.
102. N.S.C.

Generating Employment opportunity and Minimum Wages for Farm Labours

2756. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be